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The Honorable Rosa DeLauro
Chair
Committee on Appropriations,
U.S. House of Representatives
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The Honorable Kay Granger
Ranking Member
Committee on Appropriations,
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for the Bailey Avenue Complete Streets Signal Synchronization Project in Fiscal Year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the City of Buffalo located at 65 Niagara Square, Buffalo, NY 14202. This project is a good use of taxpayer funds because it will upgrade the traffic signal controllers and cabinets along Bailey Avenue in the City of Buffalo, as well as add cameras with detection to the corridor. These upgrades will allow the City of Buffalo to optimize and synchronize the traffic signals along the roadway and provide technology capable of Bus Rapid Transit synchronization and other features such as bicycle detection. This project will improve quality of life, transportation efficiency and air quality along one of the longest and most highly traveled corridors in Buffalo.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



BRIAN HIGGINS
Member of Congress